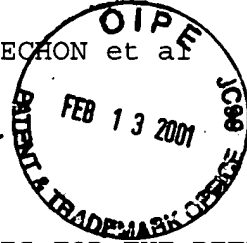


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Sir:

With respect to the above-identified national phase application filed October 30, 2001, the following are filed herewith:

- ☒ Declaration in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.63.
- ☒ Assignment document with Cover Sheet and \$40.00 fee for Recordation of Assignment.
- ☒ If a Petition for Extension of time is necessary and the Petition and/or the check is not enclosed, this will act as the Petition and applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response and charge and fees necessary under 37 CFR 1.17 (a) - (d) to Deposit Account No. 06-1358. The Commissioner is also authorized to charge payment of any other additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1358. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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